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SUBJECT: FY-77 LABOR EXCHANGE PROGRAM: DOMEI MIXED HQS/REGIONAL
TEAM

REF: TOKYO 8426, STATE 131500

1. FOUR MEMBER DOMEI MIXED HEADQUARTERS/REGIONAL TEAM HEADED
BY SHIZUYA SAIGA, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, ORGANIZATION BUREAU,
DOMEI HQS. ARRIVE WASHINGTON, D.C. (IAD), JULY 15, 1977
FROM SEATTLE AT 16:35 VIA NW 78.

2. TEAM, ALL OF THEM MEMBERS OF DOMEI SUPPORTED
DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST PARTY (DSP), HAS MISSION FROM DOMEI
TO STUDY: A) AFL-CIO POLITICAL ACTIVITIES ON NATIONAL,
STATE, REGIONAL, COUNTY, AND CITY LEVEL. TEAM PARTICULARLY
INTERESTED RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN AFL-CIO NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS
AND STATE AND MUNICIPAL LABOR COUNCILS. TEAM ALSO INTERESTED
IN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES OF LOCAL LABOR COUNCILS (E.G.
ENDORSEMENT OF CANDIDATES, CAMPAIGNING, FUND RAISING,
LOBBYING ACTIVITIES); B) UNION'S ROLE IN DEVELOPMENT OF
NUCLEAR ENERGY PLANTS AND WORKER SAFETY PROGRAMS THEREIN; C)
CONSUMER MOVEMENT AND RELATIONS BETWEEN LOCAL AFL-CIO
FEDERATIONS AND CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS; D) TEAM ALSO WISHES
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TO VISIT JAPANESE FACTORY IN U.S. AND OBSERVE AND DISCUSS
WORKING CONDITIONS (EXAMPLE: KIKKOMAN FOODS INC. IN WALWORTH,
WISCONSIN OR SONY PLANT IN SAN DIEGO). TEAM ALSO
INTERESTED IN DISCUSSION OF U.S.-JAPAN BILATERAL TRADE
ISSUES.

3. TEAM SUGGESTS FOLLOWING ITINERARY AND ORGANIZATIONS:

WASHINGTON, D.C. - AFL-CIO (COPE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPT.), DEPT OF LABOR (OSHA), IBEW HQS; NEW YORK - NEW YORK CITY CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL, CONSUMER ORGANIZATIONS, UNITED NATIONS; BUFFALO, N.Y. - BUFFALO AFL-CIO COUNCIL, OBSERVATION OF HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWERGENERATING PLANT OF NEW YORK STATE POWER AUTHORITY AND NIAGARA FALLS; MADISON, WISCONSIN - UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN; MILWAUKEE - WISCONSIN STATE AFL-CIO; KANSAS - TOPEKA OR WICHITA AFL-CIO LOCAL BODY; ALSO TEAM WISH TO OBSERVE LARGE FARM IN AREA AND ENJOY HOME HOSPITALITY IF POSSIBLE; LAS-VEGAS - CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND TOUR OF GRAND CANYON AND HOOVER DAM (TEAM PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN DAM'S ELECTRIC POWER GENERATION); LOS ANGELES - LOSANGELES COUNTY FEDERATION OF LABOR, SIDE TRIP TO SAN DIEGO AREA AND VISIT TO MEXICAN BORDER; SAN FRANCISCO - CALIFORNIA LABOR FEDERATION; PORTLAND, OREG - MULTNOMAH COUNTY LABOR COUNCIL, AFL-CIO (MR. TATSUTA FROM SAPPORO, SISTER CITY OF PORTLAND WOULD LIKE TO PAY BRIEF CALL ON PORTLAND MAYOR GOLD SCHMIDT); HONOLULU - REST.

TEAM WISHES HOME VISITS AT APPROPRIATE STOPS. TAKEBAYASHI WISHES VISIT BROTHER, AKIRA TAKEBAYASHI, 1853 WEST 162ND STREET, GARDENA, CAL. 90247. TEL: (213) 324-7702.

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